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In re Application of: Omar C. Baldonado *et al.*
Serial No.: 09/923,924
Filed: August 6, 2001
Entitled: **METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PERFORMANCE AND COST OPTIMIZATION IN AN INTERNETWORK**

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Total Claims	* 29	MINUS	** 22	7	50.00	350.00
Independent Claims	* 5	MINUS	*** 4	1	200.00	200.00
_ First Presentation Of Multiple Dependent Claim					290.00	
					TOTAL	550.00
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2. X Please charge any additional fees, including any fees necessary for extensions of time, or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 08-1275. An originally executed duplicate of this transmittal is enclosed for this purpose.
3. - Petition for extension of time. The undersigned attorney of record hereby petitions for an extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), as may be required, to file this response.

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) Group Art Unit: 2143

) Examiner: Martin, Nicholas A.

) **RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**
) **MAILED ON January 5, 2005**

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In response to the Office Action mailed on January 5, 2004, please amend the above-titled application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 6 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 12 of this paper.

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